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At 76 years of age Judge Jackson, of the United States district court for West Virginia, is still active on the bench. He was appointed by Lincoln. According to the books of the New York police department the receipts of the burglars and highwaymen of that

city for the past 18 months have been a little rising of \$3,500,000.

LATER NEWS

THE NEWS OF THE WEEK Admiral Dewey will receive a \$1,000 watch from the municipality of Boston. The city will spend \$12,500 giving the admiral a welcome. From All Parts of the New

The Marquette Club, of Chicago, entertained President McKinley at a banquet in the Auditorium Saturday night. Thirty-five hundred guests were OF INTEREST TO OUR READERS

World and the Old.

Comprehensive Review of the Import

St. Paul plumbers are on a strike.

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Brigadier-General Eagan has decided

to appeal his case to congress and

The British government has placed

large order for canned meat and tinned

fruit with one of Chicago's packing

A party of American soldiers were

ambushed by Filipinos. A signal ser-

geant was killed and two other Ameri-

Joseph Kirk, the town marshal of

As the result of a severe electrical

storm on North beach, Washington,

the house of the life-saving crew was

Two masked men stopped the Shef-

fels stage near Ouray, Colo., and took the mail, but overlooked a box con-

Indianapolis is carrying back to the

A writ of habeas corpus has been

granted to Captain Parker, found guilty

of misappropriating funds, and who

The Venezuela boundary award is a

compromise. Some of Great Britain's

claims are disallowed. Her frontier

will start at the Waini river. The

The first race of the America cup

series resulted in a flasco. Time limit

was five hours and neither boat finish-

ed in this time. Excursion boats in-

The sword awarded by congress was

presented to Admiral Dewey by Presi-

dent McKinley. The address was made by Secretary Long. The admiral

responded by saying that he now had

proof that republics are not ungrateful.

Liverpool for Boston, is ashore near

Cape Race, N. F., and will likely prove

New York is jammed with strangers

There is talk in Japan of a triple al-

Sir Thmoas Lipton has been invited

liance between Japan, China and Corea.

to attend the Chicago corner stone lay-

The empress dowager of China, it is

Fifteen men, with knives, revolvers

and clubs engaged in a street brawl

Japanese laquers have been found by

a German chemist to be the most effec-

tive protectors of iron and steel from

Captain Albert Barker, who took

the battleship Oregon from New York

to Manila, will take command of the

In the event of war the British ex-

pect early reverses in South Africa.

The government is blamed for having

delayed sending reinforcements to the

Gen. Otis says the insurgents are

maneuvering solely to gain recognition.

He has told Aguinaldo's envoys that

the only thing the United States will

A paddle steamer en route from

Hong Kong to Manila foundered and

seven of the crew were drowned. The

President McKinley has determined

to urge again upon congress the au-thorization of a trans-Pacific cable,

and when that body meets will be able

to show the practicablity of such a

A crook arrested at Knoxville, Tenn.

has offered to reveal the hiding place

of the timepiece stolen from ex-Presi-

dent Harrison some time ago. It is

worth more than \$1,000 and was pre-

sented to Mr. Harrison by the senators

At Muncie, Ind., Francis Stoker, a

veteran of the civil war, dropped dead

learn of his father's death and that of

his betrothed, Miss Edna Fogel, at

Not one drop of intoxicating liquor

is allowed to be sold at any of the mil-

from apoplexy. His son, Everett, now coming home from the Phiippines, will

disaster is said to have been due to the

consider is a white flag.

ravages of the white rat.

route by a naval survey.

on his retiring from office.

Chicago, simultaneously.

itary camps of Canada.

in Chicago and one man was killed.

said, has determined to depose the em-

to see the international yacht races.

The Warren liner Bay State, from

terfered badly with the racers.

had been sentenced to imprisonment.

South the Confederate flag, which her soldiers captured from the Ferry, Tex.,

damaged by a thunderbolt.

taining \$12,000 in gold.

award was unanimous.

reached Cape Fuller.

plague in Portugal.

peror of Japan.

Norfolk navy-yard.

Cape.

rangers during the civil war.

Inez, Ky., was shot by a desperado. A posse have gone to the mountains af-

hopes to secure vindication.

half a million.

cans were wounded.

ter the murderer.

concerns.

According to the Sebastopol correspondent of the Daily Graphic, the Russian naval credit for 1900 amounts ant Happenings of the Past Week to the ernomous total of 87,500,000 Culled From the Telegraph Columns.

The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail says: I learn that Germany is Emperor Francis Joseph has apabout to hand over documents which will lead to the quashing of the Dreyfus verdict. William Waldorf Astor paid his

The Thirteenth Minnesota regiment. returning home from the Philippines, was royally entertained in Portland. The regiment remained over night and attended the exposition.

The Spanish government has sold the Havana floating dock for \$600,000 to a syndicate of Vera Cruz merchants. Several New York firms have been asked for terms for conveying the dock to Vera Cruz. Admiral Dewey has chosen J. W.

Crawford as his official secretary. Mr. Crawford is an employe in the office of the judge-advocate-general of the navy. He will hold the rank of lieutenant in the navy.

Near Chicago five persons were injured in a collision bewteen a Hawthorne race track train on the Illinois Central, and a freight engine which stood upon a siding, the switch of which had been left open. Don Emanuel Aspiroz, Mexican am-

bassador to the United States, and the first of the distinguished guests whom Chicago has arranged to entertain dur-ing the fall festival, has arrived in the windy city from Washington. The third attempt to sail the first

race beteen the Columbia and Shamrock, which took place Saturday, proved a failure, the wind giving out when the yachts were five miles from the finish. When the race was abandoned the Columbia was slightly in the lead.

A petition to President McKinley, urging the friendly services of the United States in mediation between Great Britain and the republics of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State, has received the signatures of more than 400 representative men, including 80 odd presidents of colleges, 50 church dignataries, governors of states, mayors of cities, justices of the United States and state courts, senators, congressmen, editors and others conspicuous in public matters, the professions and commerce.

A Chicago rat-catcher is reputed to

a total wreck. Her crew and a nummake \$6,000 a year at the business. ber of passengers are adrift in boats Admiral Dewey at his own request which are lost in the fog. One boat has been formally destached from the Olympia. Pasteur methods are subduing the

The United States revenue cutter McCulloch, formerly dispatch boat of Dewey's fleet has arrived in Portland,

President Andrade is said to have given up the struggle in Venezuela and to have engaged passage on a steamer sailing for New York.

Agents of the British government are now in this country picking up horses and mules by the hundred, and arranging for speedy shipment. Shipping men fear that disaster has

befallen the Cyrus Wakefield, a month overdue at San Francisco. Five per cent reinsurance has been paid on her.

General Otis reports progress of the war in the Philippines. A robber band operating in the western portion of the island of Negros has been exterminated.

Western roads are consdering a proposition to discontinue the practice of granting reduced rates to officers of volunteer regiments returning from the Philippines.

The Pacific Biscuit Company, otherwise known as the cracker trust, has been fully organized and is now doing the bulk of the cracker and candy business of this coast.

The president is said to favor a department of industry and commerce to be represented in the cabinet. It is League, of Chicago.

The big ship Edward Sewall, with a carrying capacity of 16,000 tons has been launched at Bath, Me. She will engage in the grain trade between San Francisco and Liverpool.

A Pretoria dispatch quotes "Oom Paul" Kruger as saying: "Bullets came by thousands at the time of the Jameson raid, but the burghers were untouched. Over oue hundred were killed on the other side, showing that the Lord directed our bullets. The Lord rules the world."

The patent issued to James E. Low for a certain kind of crown and bridge work in dentistry has been held valid by the United States circuit court for the southern district of New York. This patent has been the cause of an immense amount of litigtaion, and it country has used the crown and bridge work.

The American Jewish year book, just issued, estimates the Jewish population of the United States at 1,043,800. A Toledo (O.) wheel manufactory is filling an order for five bicycles for the

children of the king of Siam. The University of California will at 8:30 A. M. and arrive in San Franerect a monument ns to the collegic front in the abandoned

as volun

Every Preparation for War in South Africa.

ARMY RESERVES MOBILIZING

Orders for the Reassembling of Parlia ment-Every Wheel of Government Machinery in Motion.

London, Oct. 9.-Whatever may be the result of Great Britain's controversy with the South African republic, every department of the government today is as busy as though actual hostilities had begun. The electric flash that announced the mobilization of the army reserves and the summoning of parliament, set every wheel of the government machinery in motion. An hour after the Gazette appeared, executive orders were being dispatched from the war office to every section of the kingdom, and the 10,000 bulletins which appeared posted throughout the country today are said to have been identical with the proclamation prepared for use had the Fashoda incident required such a step.

At the same time Lord Salisbury and Mr. Balfour were issuing the necessary orders for the reassembling of parliament, and the admiralty was concentrating its transports. So complete were the preparations that 25,000 reserves have already individualy received coupon tickets which contain instructions where each man shall report for railway transportation to the designated, and a money order for three shillings for proivisions en route.

At Woolwich today, it was asserted that 95 per cent of the reserves would be fully equipped within six days. In the meantime, the members of the two houses of parliament are arranging to return to London, and a force of men is busily engaged in completing the improvements at Westminster.

The important news from South Africa comes from Mafeking, where twice on Saturday the British camp was aroused, the men stood to their arms, guns were limbered and patrols were dispatched in the direction of the border. No hostilities have occurred as yet, but the enemy has moved practically to the border, eight miles from Mafeking, in force, estimated at least 6,000, comprising five commanders. The garrisoning and fortifying of the town are practically completed. The streets are barricaded, and a perfect system of mines has been laid.

Two armored trains have arrived at Mafeking, consisting of three bulletproof cars, the first of which carries The Thirty-fifth infantry has sailed a searchlight, while the rest of the cars Each train is com plete in itself and carries its own pro-

No Way to Avert War.

Southampton, Oct. 9 .- Sir St. John Christopher Willoubby, who accompaned Dr. Jameson into the Transvaal in 1896, and who, for participating in the raid, was sentenced to 10 months' imprisonment, but was subsequently released, was a passenger by the steamer Mexican, which sailed for the Cape on Saturday. Mr. Wessels, member of the Cape assembly for Vryburgh, was also a passenger by the Mexican. In the course of an interview, Mr. Wessels declared that he saw no way to avert war between Great Britain and the Transvaal, and, if not long, it would be terribly severe. He believed it would be impossible to restrain the younger Dutch residents of Cape Colony, with whom blood would prove thicker than water. The Boers, said Mr. Wessels, were hemmed in, and would fight desperately, and trouble might be expected with the natives.

TRIED SELF-DESTRUCTION.

The Barbaric Act of a Polish Woman at Bucoda.

Seattle, Oct. 9 .- A special from Buoda says: A most deliberate and barbaric attempt at sucide occurred at this place yesterday. Mrs. Leo Prabuski, a Polish woman, became angered at some little domestic occurrence and determined to do away with her life. She procured an ordinary hatpin six inches long and drove the pin into her stomach through the navel. Pressing hard against the pin, she drove it until being urged by the Business Men's it could go no farther, as it had lodged in the spine. Then, with the intention of forcing the pin out at the back, she procured a rusty darning needle and lrove this into what she thought was the hole made by the hat pin. Not until 12 o'clock last night did she tell any one what she had done.

Today Mrs. Prabuski repented of her act, and accompanied the Bucoda physician to this city, where Dr. Redpath removed the pin and needle. Dr. Redpath thinks she will live. She is 48 years old and has 19 children, five of whom are living.

Biggest Corn Crop in History. Chicago, Oct. 9 .- "This years' corn crop will be one of the largest in our history," said Secretary of Agriculture Wilson today. "The total yield as estimated will be between 2,300,000, 000 and 2,500,000,000 bushels. The is said that nearly every dentist in the high prices offered for meats will incline the farmers to use their crop for feeding purposes."

Two Through Trains.

Portland, Oct. 9 .- Commencing Sunday, October 15, the Southern Pacific Company will put on another through train between Portland and San Francisco. The new train will leave here college camp- cisco, 8:15 P. M. Northboard trains

CONDEMNED TO DEATH.

Insurgent Officers of Nicaragua Court Martialed.

Managua, Nicaragua, Oct. 7 .- The court-martial which was in session here for several months trying, in the ab sence of most of them, the chiefs of the revolutionary movement which began in February at Bluefields, has pro-claimed its decision. General Pablo Reyes and two or three other insurgent officers who escaped from Nicaragua are condemned to suffer the extreme penalty of the law, which is death. Only one of the prominent leaders was captured. He is now in the penitentiary. No public accusation was made in these cases nor is any reason offered for the arrests. The sensation is all the greater because there have been no indications of an uprising against President Zelaya since last February.

Such lawless acts as the government is committing in this regard, acts usually at the expense of members of the party not in power, tend to check the reviving activity and again to impair credit. Except for such arrests, however, and the impressment into her army, matters are fairly quiet.

Dangers of Whalehunting. San Francisco, Oct. 7.-The officers of the whaler Belagu tell of the terrible fate of Oscar Huschenbett, a sailor, in the Arctic. On August 26, 1898, the boats were lowered for an enormous whale. Just after a harpoon had been fixed in the whale's side and he had started off at tremendous speed, Huschenbett stepped carelessly into the rope's bight. A loop caught his leg and he was drawn into the water. In passing out of the boat the body of the man hurled itself against Third Mate Nikito and one of the crew, knocking both overboard. The mate scrambled up and slashed the rope into with his knife. Then began a chase for the whale and the body of the man. For three hours the monster raced and sank to the bottom before he could be lanced and the sailors' body recovered.

Will Sail From Portland. Washington, Oct. 7 .- The Thirty ainth sure, and possibly the Forty-fifth volunteers, will sail from Portland. Orders were issued today to Colonel Bullard, commanding the two battalions of the Thirty-ninth, at Fort Cook, Neb., to go to Vancouver barracks for the purpose of sailing to the Philippine islands by way of Portland. tions that this regiment will also ren- on exhibition. dezvous at Vancouver and sail from believed he will include the Forty. fifth as well.

Venezuela Not Satisfied. Paris, Oct. 7.-Senor Rojas, the Venezuelan agent here, in the course of

an interview, said: "The award was not what I hoped, but we must make the best of it. What can you expect in a contest between an elephant and an ant? One thing will result from it. America down a fresh international code, which she will apply to the Old World whether the latter likes it or not. The South American states, including Brazil, will rally around the United States for the purpose of effecting an economic union. We shall try to establish monetary union on the basis of the gold standard. These projects need not imply a hostile attitude toward Europe, but it must be borne in mind that Europe stands in much greater need of us than we of her."

To Represent Pacific States. San Francisco, Oct. 7.—The San Francisco board of trade sent the folloing telegram to President McKinley tonight:

"The board of trade of San Francisco earnestly asks your consideration for the large and important interests west of the Rocky mountains by appointing a representative from California for the Pacific coast, to fill the vacancy existing in the interstate commerce com-

Gift of the Crocker Estate.

San Francisco, Oct. 7 .- The Crocker Estate Company, which is composed of the heirs of the late Charles Crocker, one of the builders of the Central Pa cific railroad, has made a gift to the employes of the Southern Pacific railroad of the Crocker homestead at Sacramento to be used as a hospital for Southern Pacific employes.

Very soon a general schedule for the numeration of live stock will be put forth, in a tentative form, by Statistician Powers of the census office, for discussion, and, if necessary, correction. The count will be made June 1. 1900, in order to permit harmonious comparisons with the count of live stock in 1890, which is recorded as of June 1.

Burned at Her Dock. New York, Oct. 7 .- The Mallory teamer Leona was burned and sunk at her wharf in East river tonight. The boat is little better than a wreck.

British Steamer Wrecked.

Santa Monica, Cal., Oct. 7.-Cap-

tain Bowen, of the ship Arctic Stream, from Hamburg, reports that on Au-

EXPOSITION A BIG SUCCESS CANNIBALISM IN SOUTH SEAS.

Portland an Interesting City to Visit.

NUMEROUS SIGHTS TO SEE

The Great Fair Opened September 28 and Will Run Afternoon and Evening to October 28.

The Oregon Industrial Exposition, which is now in full blast at Portland, is the most successful enterprise of its kind ever held in the Northwest.

Everything about it is on a grand scale, as well it may be, for no expense has been spared to make everything connected with it first-class in every respect. To accomplish this result it was necessary to invest \$12,000 as a starter, and this amount was quickly forthcoming. The enterprising business men of Portland went down into their pockets and produced the cash, for they recognize the fact that the fair is a great object-lesson, an educator, and instructor-an enterprise

that benefits the entire Northwest. The products of every section of the Northwest are freely given place in the exposition at Portland, and the mines, farms, fields, factories, forests and fisheries all maké a grand showing, and there are grains and grasses that any part of the world may be well proud of. Colonel H. C. Dosch, Col. R. C. Judson and Louis M. Spiegl have collected together and have on exhibition thousands of specimens of grains and grasses and fruits and vegetables raised in the Northwest, all of which make a splendid showing for this rich region.

Among the many things seen at the exposition in Portland may be mentioned the mining exhibit. Tons of ore, all showing just where it came from and its value is shown, having been collected by J. P. Marshall, and there is a reproduction of a quartz mine, with its big timbers, shafts and tunnels, built by J. F. Batchelder, of the Portland Railway Co., who is a

practical mining engineer. In a large illuminated cave is a com plete fish hatchery, in which young salpine islands by way of Portland. mon may be plainly seen in all stages No orders have been yet issued for the Forty-fifth, but there are good indica-grown Royal Chinook salmon always

There are a great many sights to see Portland. The determination of Sec. at the exposition. The realistic re- at the Binacayan church, about midretary Root to give Portland a fair production of Multnomah falls is worth show of the business to which it is en- going miles to enjoy, and it is a great These were routed, six being killed. titled by its location seems to have permeated the San Francisco authorities, whole of Bull Run river behind it, falls made an effective sortic about a mile and even General Shafter has now re- 80 feet; and the rustic bridge is there south of Bacoor and shelled the west commended that the Thirty-ninth sail for the people to cross, and the sylvan bank of the river at close range. That from Porltand, and so strongly that it pools, and ferns and mosses and big, bank is now held by the Americans. ive fir trees. The falls are attracting great crowds and will run all the time to the closing, October 28.

Portland is a very attractive city to visit, and it has such a splendid street car system that the stranger can see the business section, the attractive homes and the splendid suburbs all on a single 5 cent fare, while comfortably seated in open electric cars. Two car lines pass the door of the great exposiwill accept no more arbitrations with tion building, in which the great fair Europe. You will see America laid of the Northwest is held-the City & Suburban line and the Washington street line-and all the stranger has to do is to take a car which is plainly marked, "Direct to the Exposition."

The war museum, which is under the direct supervision of Captain E. S. Edwards, Colonel D. M. Dunne and General O. Summers, is a grand sight to see. It was the carrying out of a brilliant idea suggested by Dan Mc-Allen, one of Portland's most patriotic and enterprising business men, and it will be the means of adding many dollars to the fund being raised to the Oregon volunteers who lost their lives during the recent wars.

The immense exposition building at every part of its interior, and is gay with flags and bunting, and at night presents a scene of splendor rarely equalled. It has 3,500 electric lights, and presents a picture to be long remembered

Estimates for the Navy. Washington, Oct. 9 .- Acting Score-

tary Allen has prepared the statement of estimates which will be submitted to congress for the maintenance of the naval establishment for the next fiscal year. These amount to \$73,034,083, which is an increase over the appropriation for the current year of \$24,537,187. Included in the increase for next year are appropriations of \$12,268,474 for public works and navy-yards and stations. There is also an estimate of \$2,021,000 for the new naval academy. D'Arcos Praises Dewey.

Boston, Oct. 9 .- The Spanish minister, Duke D'Arcos, who has just left his house at Manchester, said with regard to the reception being given Admiral Dewey:

"It does not surprise me in the least. Admiral Dewey is a brave and noble man, and for the extraordinary service he has rendered his country no honor that can be shown him in return is too great. He has aroused the admiration of the whole world by the gallantry of cargo, consisting of tobacco and 8,000 his conduct, and he would be a small bales of cotton, and valued at \$250,000 man, indeed, who could not recognize to \$300,000 is a total loss, and the his merit and give free expression to his admiration for Dewey's valor."

Big Liners Chartered. New York, Oct. 9 .- The Tribune says : Surprise and interest have been excited in shipping circles by the news gust 11, while off Staten island, near that within the last three days some minutes. His crime was the murder the Straits of Magellan, he saw the 35 vessels engaged in the trans-Atlantic British ship Gifford take men from an trade have been chartered by the Brit- brutal one. open boat. By signaling he learned ish government for periods of three om the Gifford that she had rescued months and upwards. Among the Mr. Watson n of the crew of the Brit- ships chartered are a number belonging

Natives of the New Hebrides Roasts a

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 9 .- A remarkable story of cannibalism was brought to Sydney, Australia, a few days before the sailing of the steamer Aorangi to this port, by the French steamer Jeanette. The victim of the display of savagery was a native of Hawaii, named Amaru, who acted as orderly to the immigration department at Noumea, in the New Hebrides.

About six months ago Amaru married a native woman of Aoba, in the New Hebrides group, and on passing that island on the second day of the voyage of the Jeanette to one of the outlying islands, he decided to visit his wife's tribe. Accordingly the couple were put off in a small boat, and it was only a few weeks ago that the steamer made a second call and learned their fate. By mistake they had landed on an unfriendly shore and were taken prisoners.

The man was tied to a stake and his orture begun. This consisted first in allowing vicious jungle snakes from which the poison fangs had been re-moved to attack the man's legs. Then a fire was made at his feet and his legs were horribly burned, though the injury was superficial so that the victim would not die under the treatment. Then he was made the target for the spears of the tribesmen, who finally killed him. He was torn to pieces and placed over a fire with two heep. In fact, according to the story ne was eaten with the sheep.

In the meantime Amaru's wife had een provided with another husband. The matter was reported to a British nan-of-war, but it is thought no action has been taken.

DROVE THE REBELS BACK.

ieneral Grant's Command Advanced From Imus. Manila, Oct. 9 .- General Fred

frant, with three companies of the Fourth infantry, two companies of the Fourteenth infantry and a band of scouts attached to the fomer regiment, advanced from Imus this morning, driving the insurgents from the entire west bank of the Imus river. Three Americans were wounded. It is estimated that 10 Filipinos were killed.

Companies C and H, with the scouts, rossed the river at the big bend and advanced westward in the direction of the Binacayan road, the insurgents firing volleys, but retiring. Twenty Filipinos were discovered in trenches way between Bacoor and Cavite Viejo.

Riley's battery of the Fifth artillery

Heavy Loss of Mules.

Washington, Oct. 9 .- A cable mesage from General Otis to the war department brings word of the loss of everal hundred horses and mules on the transport Siam. The message fol-

"Manila, Oct. 9.—The steamer Siam, which left San Francisco August 18 with 45 horses and 328 mules, encountered a typhoon September 21 off Northern Luzon, in which all but 16 mules were lost. The animals were killed by the pitching of the vessel and the lack of air from the necessary closing of the hatches. There were no casualties among the passengers.

It is stated at the quartermater's deartment that the mules which were lost on the Siam were trained pack mules, which were considered the most valuable sent to the Philippines.

Home in Washington for Dewey. Washington, Oct. 9. — Admiral Dewey has elected to accept a house in Washington already constucted, instead of having one built for his occupation. The admiral was officially informed today of the purpose of the peo-Portland has been vastly improved in ple of the United States to present him with a home in Washington. He frankly expressed his gratification at the tender, which he immediately accepted. He said had the proposed home been the gift a few wealthy men he should have felt indisposed to accept it, but he noted that the fund had over 43,000 subscribers, indicating that it was to be really a gift of the American people, and as such he would accept it with as much pleasure as he had the sword bestowed upon him by

congress. Washington Soldiers Decorated.

San Francisco, Oct. 9 .- Governor Rogers and several members of his staff, besides a number of ladies, visited the general hospital today in search of any Washington men that might be there, so they might decorate the sufferers with the state medal to be presented to the men of the regiment when it has returned. There were six Washington men in the hospital-Nelson Churchill, Louis F. Brittson and C. H. Hovey, of company H; Robert E. Bucklin, of company K, and Jesse Arnold and Robert T. Golden, of company C. Golden was so ill with typhoid that no one but the governor was allowed to see him, but the others were all ready and anxious to see the delegation, and in each ward where there was a Washington man quite a levee was held. Governor Rogers himsef decorated each man, at the same time acknowledging his service in the name of the state.

Murdered His Former Wife. Tacoma, Oct. 9 .- Albert Machod was convicted today of murder in the first degree, the jury being out but 10 of his former wife, and was a most

Held Up a Saloon.

Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 9.-Two masked men held up the Palace saloon early hardware dead, which had been to the big passenger and freight lines, this morning and secured \$245. They metal box that ud several days though the complete list is not known have not yet been captured. They left at the offices of the lines in this city.